GOVERNEMNT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRCT

Public Services – Agriculture & Cooperation Department – Departmental proceedings against Sri. S. Balaswamy, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / former DLCO (Retd) for certain allegations of irregularities – Charges framed – Inquiry Conducted – Inquiry Report communicated to the Charged Officer – Written Statement of defense received – Examined – Show cause notice issued – Explanation submitted by the Charged Officer – Examined - Decided to impose a penalty of 20% cut in pension permanently – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O Ms. No 99.

Dated.29 /10/2013

Read the following:

- 1. From the CC&RCS, Hyderabad Charge Memo No. 19982/06 G5, dt. 01.01.2008.
- 2. From the CC&RCS, Hyderabad Charge Memo No. 1998/06 G3 dt. 02.11.2010.
- 3. Govt. Memo No. 15110/Vig.III/A2/2010, dt. 26.04.2013.
- 4. Explanation dt. 24.05.2012 of Sri. S. Balaswamy, SCDR/former DLCO (Retd)
- Govt letter No. 15110/Vig.III/A2/2010, dt. 15.09.2013 addressed to the Secy., APPSC, Hyd.
- From the Secretary, APPSC, Hyd. Lr. No. 1848/RT/3/2013, Dt. 04.10.2013.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, one article of charge has been framed against Sri. S. Balaswamy, Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / former DLCO(Retd) while he was working as DLCO, Kadapa disposed the surcharge proceedings u/s 60 of the APCS Act, 1964, in respect of Rayalaseema Farmers Service Coop. Society, Devuni Kadapa and dropped further action against the delinquents, without following the directions of the Hon'ble Coop. Tribunal, Hyderabad which adversely effected the initiation of civil and criminal action against the delinquents.

- 2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad has informed that the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation to the Charge framed against him. Aggrieved that, the DCO, Kurnool has been appointed as Inquiry Authority and the Divisional Coop. Officer, Kadapa as Presenting Officer. The Inquiry Officer has submitted inquiry report and concluded that the charge is held proved. While communicating the Inquiry Report to the Charged Officer, he has submitted his further explanation on the inquiry report. The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad has requested the Government to take further necessary action in the matter as Government are only competent to take disciplinary action against the retired officers.
- 3. In the reference 3rd read above a show cause notice was issued to Charged Officer as to why a penalty of withholding 20% pension permanently should not be imposed against him for the charge held partly proved against him.
- 4. In the reference 4th read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his further written explanation
- 5. Government after careful examination of the explanation submitted by the Charged Officer have decided to impose a penalty of withholding of 20% cut in pension permanently against Sri. S. Balaswamy, SCDR/former DLCO(Retd) as there are no new grounds under which the Charged Officer deserves any merit.

- 6. In the reference 5th read above, the APPSC, Hyderabad was consulted on the provisional decision taken by the Government against the Charged Officer and in the reference 6th read above, the APPSC has tendered their concurrence on the proposal taken by the Government for imposition of punishment of 20% cut in pension permanently against Sri. S. Balaswamy, SCDR/former DLCO(Retd).
- 7. Government after careful examination of the entire matter have decided and hereby order to impose a penalty of withholding of 20% pension permanently against Sri S. Balaswamy, SCDR/former DLCO(Retd).
- 8. The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly,

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. D.SREENIVASULU PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri. S. Balaswamy, SCDR / former DLCO (Retd) (through the CC&RCS, AP, Hyd.) The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyd. Copy to the Accountant General, AP, Hyderabad

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Hyderabad

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Hyderabad The Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad. The Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission. SC/CS

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER